GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

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IMPACT OF NAXALISM ON COAL SUPPLY
Azad Shri Kirti (Jha)

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether coal supplies have been affected by naxal activities in the State of Jharkhand;

(b) if so, the details thereof, district-wise; and

(c) the remedial measures taken by the Government in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI PRATIK PRAKASHBAPU PATIL)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. The coal transportation and coal supplies from Central Coalfields Limited (CCL) have been affected to a large extent in the districts of Ranchi, Chatra, Hazaribagh and Latehar and to some extent in the districts of Bokaro and Ramgarh

(c): Since Law and Order is the State subject, the matter is being taken up with the State Government authorities from time to time. In the latest meeting held with Chief Secretary, Jharkhand on 10.11.2011 at Ranchi, inter alia, the issue of Law and Order problem was also discussed.